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TAGS: PFOR, CG, MO

SUBJECT: REPORTS OF PRISONERS BEING MISTREATED IN ZAIRE

IN LIGHT OF REPORTS THAT THE ZAIRIAN POPULACE IS DEMANDING  
THE EXECUTION OF TWO CAPTURED KATANGAN GENDARMES, EMBASSIES  
SHOULD SEEK OPPORTUNITY TO CONVEY AT APPROPRIATE LEVEL OUR  
STRONG OPPOSITION TO, AND THE SERIOUS POLITICAL AND LEGAL  
IMPLICATIONS OF, ANY PRISONER EXECUTIONS.

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